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Inventor : Barry Wendt et al.

Appln. No.: 09/991,589 ✓

Filed : November 16, 2001

For : VECTOR SEGMENT FINGERPRINT  
IDENTIFICATION

Docket No.: S30.12-0004

Group Art Unit: 2625

Examiner: Barry  
Choobin

## RESPONSE TO REQUEST BY EXAMINER

Attn: Examiner Barry Choobin  
Commissioner for Patents  
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DIRECTOR OFFICE  
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Sir:

We originally filed a Petition to Accept Color Drawings on November 16, 2001. The Petition was submitted with the colored drawings and the appropriate fee.

Applicant is very anxious for a patent to issue in accordance with an already received Notice of Allowance. Applicant has contacted the Examiner and the Publications Department to inquire about the delay in processing. The Examiner, in an effort to advance this case toward issuance, has asked that Applicant re-submit a copy of the original Petition and colored drawings. As such, enclosed please find these items.

Respectfully submitted,

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**PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
ATTN: GROUP DIRECTOR OF GROUP  
Washington, D.C. 20231

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER  
IS BEING SENT BY EXPRESS MAIL, TO  
THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR  
PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231,  
THIS  
15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF November, 2004  
Christopher L. Velt  
PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Petition is hereby made to accept color photographs as  
drawings in the instant application.

Per 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b), enclosed herewith is:

- (i) a check in the amount of \$130.00, fee set forth in 37  
C.F.R. §1.17(h);
- (ii) three (3) sets of photographs; and
- (iii) a black and white photocopy that accurately depicts, to  
the extent possible, the subject matter shown in the  
photos.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

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